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In re application of: Chen et al.

Attorney Docket No.: LAM1P151/P0689

Application No.: 09/676,269

Examiner: Alejandro Mulero, Luz L

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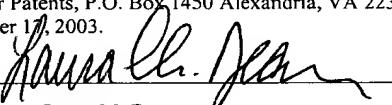
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	28	MINUS	25	3	x 9 =	x 18 = 36.00
Independent Claims	6	MINUS	4	2	x 42 =	x 84 = 168.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
				Total	\$	\$204.00

Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

Enclosed is our Check No. 20017 in the amount of \$204.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.

Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. LAM1P151).

Respectfully submitted,
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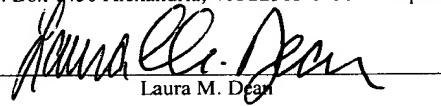
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2003 please enter the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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